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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 2, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In The Specification

Please replace the Specification paragraphs as shown below. A marked up version of these changes is attached to this Amendment.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 6, at line 24 with the following paragraph:

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The back 12 of the upper foam panel 8 has applied thereto the reinforcing mat 11 and the cover fleece 20. A comparable reinforcing mat 11 with a cover fleece 20 is also applied to the front 13 of the lower foam panel 7. The reinforcing mats 11 are formed of fibres and the cover fleeces 20 are formed of PET or of a PE/PET composite. The reinforcing mat

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